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SUBJ: N.A.S. TELEGRAM TO SOVIET ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

PLEASE PASS ASST SECRETARY RICHARDSON

1. FULL TEXT OF NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (HANDLER)  
TELEGRAM TO SOVIET ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (KELDYSH) RE  
ANDREI SAKHAROV BEING SENT BY WIRELESS FILE.

2. DEPARTMENT RESPONDING TO PUBLIC INQUIRIES ALONG LINES  
THAT NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES IS AN INDEPENDENT,  
PRIVATE ORGANIZATION FREE TO EXPRESS ITS POSITION ON  
MATTERS OF PUBLIC INTEREST. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE WAS  
NOT ASKED TO APPROVE THE CONTENTS OF THE ACADEMY S TELEGRAM  
TO THE SOVIET ACADEMY OF SCIENCES REGARDING ANDREI  
SAKHAROV AND THE MESSAGE SHOULD THEREFORE NOT BE CONSTRUED  
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AS A US GOVERNMENT STATEMENT. IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS

TIME TO PREDICT WHAT EFFECT, IF ANY, THIS ACTION WILL HAVE  
ON THE BROAD RANGE OF US-USSR AGREEMENTS IN THE FIELD OF  
SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION.

3. IF ASKED, WE WILL ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE WERE INFORMALLY  
NOTIFIED THAT A MESSAGE WAS BEING SENT BUT WERE NOT CON-  
SULTED ON THE CONTENTS. RUSH

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